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Title: System and Method for  
Software Patching for  
Cross-Platform Products

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final rejection dated May 15, 2007.

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